UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY)) MDL No. 1456)
AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE	
LITIGATION	CIVIL ACTION: 01-CV-12257 PBS
) CIVIL ACTION. 01-C V-12237 TBS
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO ALL CLASS ACTIONS)) Judge Patti B. Saris)

MDL CLASS PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER OF BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM CORPORATION, BEN VENUE LABORATORIES, INC., AND BEDFORD LABORATORIES

MDL Class Plaintiffs ("Plaintiffs"), hereby request that this Honorable Court grant an extension of time up to and including April 30, 2004 for the submission of oppositions to the Motion for Protective Order of Boehringer Ingelheim Corporation, Ben Venue Laboratories, Inc., and Bedford Laboratories (the "Boehringer Motion").

Defendants filed the Boehringer Motion on April 12, 2004 and Plaintiffs' opposition is due on April 26, 2004. No previous motions for an extension of time to respond to the Boehringer Motion have been submitted. Plaintiffs represent that the additional time to respond to the Boehringer Motion will allow a more complete treatment of the issues raised by the motion and will not prejudice any party to the litigation.

Plaintiffs have conferred with Defendants concerning this Motion for Extension of time and they represent that they do not oppose the motion.

WHEREFORE, MDL Class Plaintiffs respectfully request that the Court extend the time for filing of oppositions to the Boehringer Motion up to and including April 30, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that I, Edward Notargiacomo, an attorney, caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing MDL CLASS Plaintiffs' motion for Extension of Time to File Opposition to Motion to For Protective Order of Boehringer Ingelheim Corporation, Ben Venue Laboratories, Inc., and Bedford Laboratories to be served on all counsel of record electronically on April 26, 2004, pursuant to Section D of Case Management Order No. 2.

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